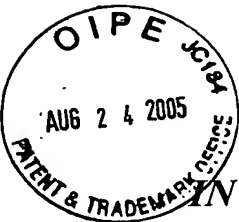


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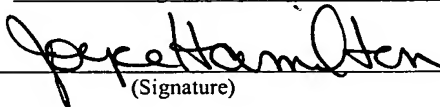
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 24, 2005, Applicants respectfully request entry and reconsideration of the following Amendments and Remarks. Applicants believe that no other fees are required. If additional fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the same to the account of Barnes & Thornburg, Deposit Account No. 10-0435, with reference to our matter 3220-73090.

Amendments in the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

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